

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO**

RAMON BADILLO-SANTIAGO, M.D.

Plaintiff

v.

HON. JOSE ANDREU-GARCIA, et. al.

Defendants

Civil No. 98-1993(SEC)

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT
SAN JUAN, PR*

ORDER

MOTION	RULING
Docket #136 Motion Joining Commonwealth of Puerto Rico's Motion to Partially Strike Amended Complaint	Moot.
Docket #140 Plaintiff's Motion	Denied.
Docket #141 Motion for Judicial Notice	Noted.
Docket #146 Motion Requesting Leave to File Opposition	Granted.
Docket #148 Motion to Dismiss	Denied without prejudice. The Defendants' are hereby ORDERED to resubmit their motion to dismiss in light of the Supreme Court's Opinion in <u>Bd. of Tr. of the Univ. of Alabama v. Patricia Garret</u> , ___ S.Ct. __, No. 99-1240, 2001 WL 167628 (U.S. Feb. 12, 2001), by March 26, 2001.
Docket #149 Motion for an Extension of Time	Moot.
Docket #150 Motion Joining Motion to Dismiss Filed by Commonwealth of Puerto Rico	Moot.
Docket #151 Plaintiff's Response to Defendants' Request for Dismissal	Noted.
Docket #152 Plaintiff's Motion for Certification	Denied without prejudice. <u>See</u> above (ruling on Docket # 148).

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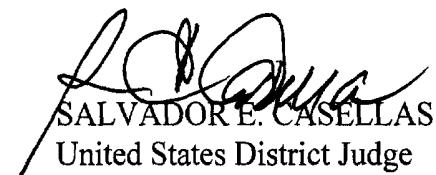
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MOTION	RULING
Docket #155 Informative Motion	Noted. The Court has taken notice of the Puerto Rico Court of Appeals ruling, however it warns Plaintiff that such ruling is not controlling on the issues that this Court alone is entrusted to decide. If anything, the Puerto Rico Court of Appeals decision is illustrative of the efforts the Commonwealth Courts are making to provide Plaintiff with a public accommodation for his disability.
Docket #158 Motion for Withdrawal of Legal Representation and for a Temporary Stay of Proceedings	Counsel's request to withdraw from the case is GRANTED . The request for a temporary stay is MOOT .
Docket #159 Notice and Motion for a Protective Order	Moot.
Docket #160 Motion Requesting Extension of Time	Moot.

DATE: March 6, 2001



SALVADOR E. CASELLAS
United States District Judge

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